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| 1. Russ Blandford, <u>House Armed</u>                                  |
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| Services Committee staff, called to express his concern about the      |
| situation in the Bahamas and asked for an analysis of the recent       |
| election. He stated his sources inform him we may have another         |
| Cuban situation. He specifically referred to indigenous types          |
| beginning to buy whiskey with \$50 bills, the implication being that   |
| someone had poured money into the elections. I indicated we would      |
| pull together some material for him for first thing in the morning.    |
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| 2. Met with Mr. J.R. Blandford, House                                  |
| Armed Services Committee, who advised that the Committee will not      |
| be organized probably before next Tuesday. In consequence, the         |
| Chairman will not attempt to schedule any meetings before that time.   |
| Also met with Mr. Phil Kelleher, who requested advice                  |
| for the Chairman on an article from American Opinion concerning        |
| the loss of the six French Mystere IV aircraft in Spain last year.     |
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| 3Met with Colonel Hal Gould, House                                     |
| Science and Astronautics Committee, who advised that the Chairman      |
| of the Subcommittee, Representative Daddario, is in the hospital for a |
| checkup. He wanted to advise me, however, that an item appearing       |
| in the January 12 issue of Space Daily, Page 50, sets forth that the   |
| Soviet Deputy Chairman of the State Committee for Science and          |
| Technology, Dr. Dzherman M. Gvishiani, who is an invitee to the        |
| Committee's Science Panel Meeting, January 24 - 26, "has been          |
| identified by a CIA source" as a suspected spy. Colonel Gould noted    |
| that the invitations had been approved by the Department of State.     |
| has been advised.  |